



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:
GUENTER BERSCHEL, ET AL.

APPLICATION NO.:
10/634,333

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FOR:
METHOD FOR MULTI-COAT REFINISHING
OF SUBSTRATES

GROUP ART UNIT:
1762

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION AND
ADVISORY ACTION, AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED
EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

Sir:

Applicants respond to the Final Office Action mailed on December 20, 2005, and to the Advisory Action mailed on February 27, 2006. A Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 accompanies this response. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows and consider the following remarks. A one-month Extension of Time of the period for reply under 37 CFR §1.136(a) accompanies this response.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this Response.

Remarks/Arguments to the Final Office Action and the Advisory Action begin on page 4 of this Response.